

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****38550**

Customer Number

NOV 17 2008Patent
Case No.: CGL03/0131US01**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

First Named Inventor: Sweeney, John F
Application No.: 10/820899 Group Art Unit: 1794
Filed: April 8, 2004 Examiner: Leslie Wong
Title: PELLET SYSTEMS FOR PREPARING BEVERAGES

Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

To Fax No.: 571-273-8300

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on:*November 17, 2008*
Date*N. Reynolds*
Signed by: Natalie Reynolds

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted together with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal. This Amendment resubmits a previously submitted Amendment, filed October 10, 2008 subsequent to final rejection. This Amendment, however, places the claims on separate sheets of paper from the sheets containing remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

Consideration, allowance and passage to issue of the instant application are respectfully requested.